RECOVERY FUNDS AT WORK IN OHIO'S SIXTH DISTRICT

Wilson Announces Steel Valley Regional Transit Authority to Receive \$405,000 for Replacement Buses and Security Equipment

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Congressman Charlie Wilson (OH-6) is pleased to announce that the Steubenville-based Steel Valley Regional Transit Authority will receive \$405,000 from the Federal Transit Administration through the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009. These funds will be used to purchase two 30FT transit buses, a replacement roof for the administrative office building, shop and security-related equipment, and much-needed ADP hardware and software.

"This is great news for Steubenville," Wilson said. "This investment in better equipment and technology will have an immediate impact on the operations and capabilities of the Steel Valley Regional Transit Authority. These funds will make the existing system more efficient and secure. In this tough economy, as families watch their budgets, public transportation plays an even more critical role in getting people to and from work. This is an excellent investment of our recovery money."